I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The cable ownership

cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

By lifting the cap and cable ownership will limit the diversity of viewpoints expressed via the media. This goes against the spirit of the First Amendment which was designed to protect freedom of speech. The First Amendment should protect the freedom of the people, not just the corporations. By lifting the cap the FCC will be ruling against citizens' rights.